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To: BDDS Stakeholders

From: Beth Goodrich, Director of BDDS Provider Relations

Re: Provider Qualifications for Participant Assistance and Care for the Family Supports Waiver

and Transportation Services for the Community Integration and Habilitation Waiver

**Date:** August 24, 2012

## Personal Assistance Care (PAC):

- Providers wanting to add PAC to their list of services must be approved by DDRS to provide Residential Habilitation and Support (RHS).

- All current DDRS-approved RHS providers wanting to add PAC must submit, in writing, a request to add this service to BDDS Provider Relations, and BDDS Provider Relations will add the PAC service. Please email the request to Beth Goodrich at Beth.Goodrich@fssa.in.gov.

## <u>Transportation Services—CIH Waiver only:</u>

- Depending upon the needs of the participant, there are three levels of transportation. The level of transportation service needed must be documented in the ISP.
  - Level 1: Transportation in a private, commercial, or public transit vehicle that is not specially equipped.

Rate: \$5 per trip

Cap: \$2,500

 Level 2: Transportation in a private, commercial, or public transit vehicle specially designed to accommodate wheelchairs.

Rate: \$20 per trip

Cap: \$5,000

 Level 3: Transportation in a vehicle specially designed to accommodate a participant who for medical reasons must remain prone during transportation (e.g., ambulette).

Rate: \$40 per trip

Cap: \$7,500





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- Transportation is to be paid separate from the individual's current allocation.
- Beginning September 1, providers should request the individual's case manager update the CCB to include the appropriate level of transportation.
- RHS and Day Service providers are eligible to provide transportation service on the CIH Waiver. Current DDRS-approved RHS and Day Service providers wishing to add Transportation should send a written request to add this service to BDDS Provider Relations, and BDDS Provider Relations will add the Transportation service. Please email the request to Beth Goodrich at Beth.Goodrich@fssa.in.gov.

Information regarding provider qualifications for RHS3 will be announced soon.

If you have any further questions, please direct them to Beth Goodrich at <a href="mailto:Beth.Goodrich@fssa.in.gov">Beth.Goodrich@fssa.in.gov</a>.



<sup>\*\*</sup>Note: Transportation has not changed for the FSW.